

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 608

February 21, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Creates Class A misdemeanors for a person to organize or operate a gun show unless both Tennessee Bureau of Investigation (TBI) and the chief county law enforcement officer are notified of the show's dates, times, and location; or for a person to fail to verify the identity of each gun show dealer; to require each gun show dealer to sign a ledger with identifying information; and to maintain a copy of these documents for one year from the date of the gun show. Creates a Class A misdemeanor for a person who is not licensed under federal law to transfer a firearm to another person if any part of the transfer takes place at a gun show, on the premises of a gun show, or within 1,000 feet of the property where a gun show is being held. Defines "gun show," "gun show dealer," and "gun show promoter."

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Additional law enforcement oversight may be required for the notifications and investigations relating to the gun shows. However, the collection of gun show information and any additional investigative duties will not have a significant fiscal impact on the TBI or local law enforcement. Any cost can be accommodated within existing resources.
- Any increase in court cases, resulting in additional state and local government expenditures for processing the cases and additional state and local government revenue from fees, taxes and costs collected, is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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